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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

1. PURPOSE: This agreement provides for the location at the Pentagon of the Deputy to the DCI for Collection Tasking, his Directors of the PHOTINT, SIGINT and HUMINT Tasking Offices, together with elements of their Staffs, and the Warning and Crisis Management element of the National Intelligence Tasking Office (NITO). This agreement has been developed to implement Section 1-502 of EO 12036 and further provides for DoD support to and from the Deputy to the DCI for Collection Tasking and these offices.

a. The Deputy to the DCI for Collection Tasking (D/DCI/CT) and the Directors of PHOTINT (PTO), SIGINT (STO), and HUMINT (HTO) Tasking Offices are key elements of the DCI's community staff concerned with the tasking and management of national PHOTINT, SIGINT, and HUMINT intelligence resources in support of civil and military authorities.

b. The location in the Pentagon of the D/DCI/CT and PTO, STO, HTO, and NITO elements is at the request and initiative of the Secretary of Defense to enhance the interaction of these entities with senior DoD Staffs involved in intelligence collection and the use of intelligence to support DoD's management of operational resources. This interaction is designed to maximize intelligence support based on timely operational knowledge of proposed and ongoing operations involving U.S. forces in active and incipient crisis situations. The location in the Pentagon is also

designed to assist the DCI to translate national foreign intelligence requirements and priorities into specific collection objectives and targets for the Intelligence Community, to assign targets and objectives to national foreign intelligence collection organizations and systems and to provide advisory tasking concerning collection of national foreign intelligence components having information collection capabilities or intelligence assets that are not part of the National Foreign Intelligence Program.

2. LOCATION: The location of the Offices for the D/DCI/CT and the PTO, STO, HTO, and NITO elements have been agreed upon in prior correspondence.

a. The Office of the D/DCI/CT and members of his Immediate Staff will be located in offices now occupied by the JCS SALT representative on the second floor "E" Ring in the JCS area.

b. The Directors of PTO, STO, and HTO and their Staffs will be located on the first floor in approximately 10,300 square feet adjacent to the seventh corridor between "C" and "D" Rings. This space will be closed off to provide a contiguous secure area.

c. The Warning and Crisis Management element of NITO will be colocated with the Collection Coordination Facility (CCF) operated by Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA) in the National Military Command Center complex.

3. SUPPORT: The D/DCI/CT and PTO, STO, HTO, and NITO elements will be staffed and operated by the DCI. The Security practices of these elements will be in accord with DCI-approved procedures.

a. The Secretary of Defense will provide the following administrative and operational support.

(1) Designate appropriate level focal point offices/officers within the DOD to assure access to DoD intelligence and operational elements as required by the D/DCI/CT. In addition to these offices/officers will meet the administrative and operational requirements of the D/DCI/CT and PTO, STO, and HTO office and the need of the Warning and Crisis Management elements of NITO. In this regard, the Chief of CCF will provide to the D/DCI/CT the same collection coordination support as is afforded the DIA.

(2) Provide general administrative supplies on reimbursable basis.

(4) Provide appropriate parking for Government vehicles and personnel assigned.

b. The Director of Central Intelligence will provide the following administrative and operational support.

(1) Provide information and reports to DoD on collection resource capabilities, limitations, status, tasking, and information yield.

(2) Pay for the initial renovation, and any subsequent changes incurred, in establishing the offices requested in paragraph 2 above.

(3) Provide secure communications, reproduction facilities, printing, couriers, and the disposal of classified material for all CTS components except the NITO element, which will draw its support from the CCF.

(4) Provide normal office support to the offices listed in paragraph 2 above, including the payment to GSA of the Standard Level User Charge (SLUC) and added guard services required.

4. EXECUTION: This Memorandum of Understanding is effective upon signature of the Secretary of Defense and the Director of Central Intelligence.

Secretary of Defense

Director of Central Intelligence